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PREFACE

This Directory is designed to provide educators, ministers, attorneys, probation officers, social workers, pharmacists, parents and others who are sometimes called upon to offer guidance to drug abusers with a ready reference manual of resources currently available in San Francisco. To the best of our knowledge, no such Directory has ever been available here before.

We have attempted to include every resource that now exists. It cannot be overemphasized that listing of an agency or service does not constitute an endorsement by the City and County of San Francisco, the San Francisco Committee on Crime, or by any of the foundations, organizations and businesses who have so generously contributed to make publication and distribution of this Directory possible. Because drug abuse and the misuse of dangerous substances generally results from an individual's misguided attempt to escape from or find a solution to more deep-seated problems, the counseling approach and treatment methods of a particular agency may find a response in some people, but not in others. The term "drug treatment" facilities is largely a misnomer. The primary "treatment" of many agencies listed here is not to provide medication, but to offer a sympathetic ear, let a person in trouble know that someone cares, and encourage and assist him in finding the particular professional and specialized help he may need.

As yet, no one has evaluated the effectiveness of these agencies. This Directory makes no attempt to do so.

The Committee is grateful to the Coro Foundation for assigning Richard W. Goldman, one of its Fellows, to work with us. This Directory is almost entirely his work.

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Executive Director
San Francisco Committee on Crime

INTRODUCTION

This Directory is a product of my seven-week assignment from the Coro Foundation to the San Francisco Committee on Crime. As part of its study of non-victim crime, the Committee wanted to identify all drug clinics and treatment centers in San Francisco and the nature and extent of the services they offered. To our surprise, no list of available facilities existed. Countless people whom I interviewed in my assignment, urged that a directory such as this be prepared and this is the result. To the best of their knowledge and ours, no such directory has ever been available in San Francisco.

The information was obtained by personal interviews with key people in each agency. Later, we sent each agency a draft of the information we proposed to print and asked to verify its accuracy. The Directory is as up to date and accurate as possible. However, because policies, procedures, personnel, locations, etc. may change, anyone using it should check with the individual facility to make certain the information is still current.

Although I can pass no judgment on individual agencies, I would make these observations about the total drug treatment scene in San Francisco. The existing facilities are woefully inadequate to take care of the need. Effective and comprehensive drug programs must include a variety of services for the drug abuser, including medical and psychiatric treatment, counseling, and rehabilitation. Because of limited funds, most facilities in San Francisco--both public and private -- do not provide such a range of services, nor are they able to cope with the demand. By improving the services now offered, by coordinating the efforts of the various agencies, and by encouraging referrals from one facility to another, more effective treatment is possible. But there must also be a considerable expansion of facilities.

Now a brief word about the form of the listings. All addresses and telephone numbers, unless otherwise noted, are in San Francisco and none of the individual facilities limits the age, sex, or type of drug abuse of the person

seeking help. Many facilities, especially the private hospitals and the community mental health clinics, have restrictions based on residency, which are noted in the section on "Eligibility." Where the usual headings such as "Staff," or "Other Services" are not used, it is because such information was either unavailable or inapplicable. As a general rule, police are not contacted by any of these facilities, although some public agencies might report heroin addicts.

Richard W. Goldman

PUBLIC FACILITIES

State hospitals, city and county agencies

STATE HOSPITALS

MENDOCINO STATE HOSPITAL
P.O. Box X
Talmage, California
(707) 462-3871 Ext. 324

Contact: David Velasco, Program Chief
I.H. Perkins, M.D., Medical Program Director
Donald M. Ford, Assistant Program Chief

Intake Hours: 24 hours

Eligibility: Six-day detoxification program open to all types of drug abusers who have been evaluated and referred from their County Mental Health Clinic. Admission for treatment is to be voluntary (emancipated minors may admit themselves for treatment, otherwise parents of minors are expected to support the voluntary admission policy). Admittees must have no court cases pending.

Programs: 1) Detoxification -- six-day methadone withdrawal program; 72 hours of decreasing doses of methadone, plus three additional days as an inpatient.

2) The "Family" program utilizes a myriad of techniques to bring about change in individuals such that they might within a short time (approximately one year) leave the protected environment of the Family stronger and more able to cope on the streets with the situations and pressures of our society that lead to drug abuse. These techniques include "The Game," a group technique where the person's flaws are magnified, recalled, shouted and cursed and where his successes are belittled, laughed at, scorned, etc., such that the individual is forced to take stock of himself and his actions. They also include Esalen institution techniques of friendly encounters which stress warm, loving communications with others. Where the games are to help individuals handle hostility (theirs and others), the encounters are seen as enabling the individual to come to grips with affection toward himself and others. Both are used to increase knowledge of the self and of others.

3) New program without time limit designed to accommodate those addicts who are not ready to undergo intense long-term programs. Program is geared to prepare the individual for realistic awareness of his or her drug dependent life style.

Other Services: *Drug education project run by "graduates" from The Family who are requested by communities to provide educational panels to all student age groups, clubs, parent groups, professional groups, etc.*

Rehabilitation: *Vocational training, employment services and job training are integral parts of the long-term program.*

Cost: *According to California State Welfare Institutions Code.*

NAPA STATE HOSPITAL
P.O. Box #A
Imola, California
(707) 226-2011

Intake Hours: *Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. No admission on Saturday, Sunday or Holidays.*

Eligibility: *Detoxification and therapy programs open to all upon referral from Community Mental Health Clinic.*

Program: *The Drug "Family" type program, similar to Mendocino State Hospital. Average length of residence is from seven to eighteen months.*

Cost: *Covered under Short-Doyle Act.*

CITY AND COUNTY AGENCIES
SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
101 Grove Street
San Francisco, California
558-4387

Clinical Services

Specialized Services

Bureau of Alcoholism, Laguna Honda Hospital, 7th Ave. and Dewey Blvd., 664-1580, Ext. 324: Rehabilitation, in-patient, outpatient services for alcoholics.

Center for Special Problems, 2107 Van Ness Avenue (Pacific Ave.), 558-4801: Outpatient treatment for drug abuse, alcoholism and other psychiatric problems socially defined as deviant.

Geriatric Screening Unit, 800 Potrero Avenue, 558-2656: Screening, diagnosis and placement of patients 65 and older.

Mental Retardation Program, 942 Market St., Rm. 703, 986-1545 or 986-6047: Diagnosis, counseling and placement.

General Psychiatric Services

Mental Health Center	*For Immediate Psychiatric Care*	*For Information*
Bayview	*1525 Silver Avenue 468-2495*	*22nd & Potrero Ave. 648-8200, Ext. 731*
Mission	*995 Potrero Avenue 648-8200, Ext. 461*	*22nd & Potrero Ave. 648-8200, Ext. 731*
Northeast	*2450 22nd Street 648-8200, Ext. 711*	*22nd & Potrero Ave. 648-8200, Ext. 731*
Sunset	*Langley-Porter Neuropsychiatric Institute 681-8080, Ext. 215*	*1351 24th Avenue 661-2013*
Westside	*Mt. Zion Hospital 1600 Divisadero St. 567-6600, Ext. 631*	*2201 Sutter Street 563-7710*

Information concerning any mental health service can be obtained by telephoning 648-8200 - 24 hours a day.

Emergency Treatment: *Immediate psychiatric care, including adverse reactions to drugs, is provided 24 hours a day on a walk-in basis by each of the Mental Health Centers.*

Patients should appear at the Immediate Psychiatric Care Intake nearest to them. (See above.)

Exceptions:

a) Bayview Emergency Intake after 5:00 p.m. 2450 -22nd Street.

b) Bayview, Mission, Northeast emergencies after 11:00 p.m., and on weekends and holidays: Mission Emergency Hospital, San Francisco General Hospital.

c) Northeast emergency services during 1970-71 will be moved from its present location to the vicinity of St. Francis Hospital. Notice will be given when this move is operational.

Inpatient Care: *If an individual requires further inpatient care after emergency treatment; he will be hospitalized on the inpatient unit of the Community Mental Health Center serving the district in which he resides.*

Westside Mental Health Center inpatient care is provided at Mt. Zion, Presbyterian, and St. Mary's Hospitals.

Sunset Mental Health Center inpatient care is provided at Langley-Porter and U.S. Public Health Hospital.

Bayview, Mission and Northeast inpatient units are at San Francisco General Hospital.

Children and youth under 18 requiring psychiatric hospitalization, are served at St. Mary's Hospital from all districts.

Outpatient care and partial hospitalization are provided by all five Community Mental Health Centers. Contact Community Mental Health Center of the district in which patient resides. (See map for details.)

Referrals: *Patients may be referred by the Mental Health Center to other agencies of Community Mental Health Services, private agencies or state hospitals.*

Cost: Ability to pay.

Note: The structure outlined above is very fluid as local mental health resources are being continually developed. Please call the Mental Health Center in your district for the most accurate and up to date information.

Procedures for patients against whom there are criminal charges:

1) *Hospitalization by the Community Mental Health Centers is entirely under the Welfare & Institutions Code and does not include hospitalization under the Penal Code.*

2) *In practice, when after examination it appears a prisoner who has not yet been tried is in need of psychiatric inpatient care, the patient may be hospitalized on an inpatient unit of a Community Mental Health Center when the officers of the Court feel it is warranted to drop the criminal charges. It should be understood that in this case the nature and degree of security provisions, if any, will be determined by the nature of the illness and the treatment procedures under the W. & I. Code.*

3) *Where the criminal charges are of such a nature that dropping them is not warranted, the patient should be remanded to the Superior Court where psychiatrists employed by the Superior Court may, after an examination, recommend the patient be hospitalized in a state hospital under Section 1368 of the Penal Code. In urgent cases, this can be accomplished in less than twenty-four hours.*

4) *During 1970-71 Northeast Mental Health Center will be installing a psychiatric unit in the City Prison for the purposes of providing emergency care and evaluation as well as for expediting the above arrangements for psychiatric treatment under the Penal Code.*

SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

CENTER FOR SPECIAL PROBLEMS
2107 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, California
558-4801

Contact: Staff person on duty.

Intake Hours: 9:00-11:00 a.m.; 2:00-4:00 p.m. weekdays arrive at 9:00 a.m. or 2:00 p.m. if possible.

Eligibility: Determined at initial screening; problems must be related specifically to drugs, alcohol, or sex.

Programs:

1) Outpatient drug-assisted withdrawal and treatment. During and after withdrawal, individual psychotherapy, group counseling; and casework are utilized to decrease dependence on drugs and resolve personal problems related to drug abuse. Emphasis is on psychiatric treatment.

2) Outpatient methadone maintenance program. About 40 "hard-core" heroin addicts are now on an experimental methadone maintenance program which blocks the effects of heroin and allows the individual to resume less deviant life-styles. Methadone is dispensed daily; cooperation by the patient is confirmed by frequent urinalysis. The program includes individual and group psychotherapy. The waiting list is long, and no teenagers or "amateur" habits are permitted in the program.

3) Psychiatric therapy and assistance available for people using amphetamines, barbiturates, or LSD.

Referrals: Center for Special Problems is an offical referral agent for Mendocino State Hospital. Addict must request referral.

Staff: 10-12 doctors and psychiatrists; 12 social workers.

Cost: Ability to pay; methadone maintenance cost $5 per week.

SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

"CRASH PAD" PROGRAM

Balboa High School (Northeast MHC)
Wilson High School (Bayview MHC)
Lincoln High School (Sunset MHC)
Mission High School (Mission MHC)

The "Crash Pad" Program is run by the Department of Public Health through the cooperation of the San Francisco School Department. It is staffed by the mental health clinics outlined above and by part-time social workers from the Center for Special Problems. The programs vary in each school according to its needs, but some of the services normally offered are: drug crisis intervention, individual and group counseling, consultation services for teachers and counselors, drug education programs for students and parents, therapy groups, and a place to go for conversation and relaxation. Referrals for medication and more intense care are made when the circumstances warrant such action.

PRIVATE HOSPITALS

University of California,
San Francisco Medical Center

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO MEDICAL CENTER

LANGLEY-PORTER YOUTH DRUG UNIT
401 Parnassus Avenue
San Francisco, California
681-8080, Ext. 257, 260, or 201

Intake Hours: By appointment only.

Eligibility: Must be 14-25 years old, with current or previous experience with dangerous drugs (amphetamines, barbiturates, sedatives, hallucinogens, stimulants, LSD, or marijuana). No heroin addicts. Voluntary admissions only after screening by an Admission/Evaluation team. Some court referrals. Both sexes admitted. No acutely disturbed patients who require intense medical care or detoxification.

Program: Treatment based on a concept of a therapeutic community; average inpatient stay is two months. The main focus of therapy is in small and large groups, family therapy, occupational therapy, psychodrama, and seminars. The general philosophy is that there are options available to help free patients from drug dependence and to help them recognize the self-destructive nature of drug involvement. Use of videotape machines and other creative media is emphasized. No drugs may be used by a participant. There is constant reappraisal of progress by the Admission/Evaluation teams. Patients are free to leave the unit at any time, and they may be discharged if they do not accept the rules, conform to expectations, or are not motivated towards self-examination. Treatment emphasis is on the person and his problems, both individually and in relationship to others.

Other Services: Day patients may be accepted by the Admission/Evaluation team. There is also an after-care program for patients after discharge.

Rehabilitation: There is an educational program offering coursework and a vocational rehabilitation counselor to help with employment.

Staff: Professional staff, who undergo continual self-reappraisal.

Cost: Ability to pay.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO MEDICAL CENTER

LANGLEY-PORTER NEUROPSYCHIATRIC INSTITUTE
401 Parnassus Avenue
San Francisco, California
681-8080

Intake Hours:

1) *Inpatient Services (24-hour hospitalization)*

   a. *Patients from the Sunset Community Mental Health District.*

      1) *In the 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. period contact Coordinator's Office, Langley-Porter, 681-8080, Ext. 215.*

      2) *In the 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m. period ask for Langley-Porter Officer of the Day.*

   b. *Patients from other than Sunset District inquiring about 24-hour hospitalization.*

      1) *Call 681-8080.*

         a) *In the 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. period ask operator to contact Inpatient Admissions Officer.*

         b) *In the 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m. period ask to speak to Langley-Porter Officer of the Day.*

2. *Adult Outpatient Treatment*

   a. *Call 681-8080 in the 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. period Monday through Friday.*

   b. *If from Sunset District, ask for Ext. 215.*

   c. *Patients from all other areas requesting adult outpatient services, ask for Ext. 301.*

3. *Psychiatric Services for children and their families*

   a. *Call 681-8080 and ask for Intake Social Worker, Children's Service.*

Eligibility: Residents of Sunset Mental Health District (see San Francisco Department of Public Health, Community Mental Health Services), or private patients on a space-available basis.

Program: The Langley-Porter program offers a varied group of psychiatric treatment services for adults, adolescents, and children including hospitalization, after-care, day-care, and outpatient services.

Referrals: To Center for Special Problems or Community Mental Health clinics or contracting agencies for treatment after resolution of immediate emergency.

Cost: Ability to pay.

CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
3801 Sacramento Street
San Francisco, California
752-1935

Intake Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., Monday - Friday; some evening hours.

Eligibility: No restrictions; priority given to Westside Mental Health District patients in Adult Clinic.

Programs:

1) Adult Psychiatric Clinic -- individual and group counseling on an outpatient basis.

2) Child Guidance Clinic -- individual and group counseling on an outpatient basis.

3) Inpatients in small number may be admitted to medical wards if a bed is available.

Staff: Professional.

Cost: Ability to pay.

MOUNT ZION HOSPITAL
1600 Divisadero Street
San Francisco, California
567-6600, Ext. 631

Intake Hours: 24 hours.

Eligibility: Residents of Westside Mental Health District (see San Francisco Department of Public Health, Community Mental Health Services), or private patients.

Program: "Crisis Clinic" -- emergency psychiatric treatment.

Referrals: To Community Mental Health clinics, contracting or other agencies for treatment after resolution of immediate emergency.

Cost: Ability to pay.

ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL
McAuley Neuropsychiatric Clinic
2200 Hayes Street
San Francisco, California
752-4000

Intake Hours: Inpatient: 24 hours
Outpatient: Adults
8:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m., Monday - Friday;
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., Saturday.
Children (18 and under)
11:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m., Monday - Friday.

Eligibility: Westside Mental Health District patients (see San Francisco Department of Public Health, Community Mental Health Services), or private patients (who need not have their own private physician).

Program: Group therapy twice a day; individual counseling according to individual need. Family therapy is also available. Non-methadone withdrawal of heroin addicts, after which patient enters regular program.

Rehabilitation: Occupational therapy and remedial educational help up to high school level.

Staff: Professional.

Cost: Outpatient -- ability to pay.
Inpatient -- $80.00 per day for private patients.

PRIVATE DRUG TREATMENT FACILITIES

FORT HELP
CENTER FOR SOLVING SPECIAL SOCIAL AND HEALTH PROBLEMS
199 Tenth Street
San Francisco, California
775-2015 and 431-HELP

Contact: Joel Fort, Director

Intake Hours: Noon - Midnight, Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays.

Eligibility: Open to all.

Program: This is a facility designed to offer non-bureaucratic, socially-oriented help for a variety of emotional and social problems, including drug abuse and addiction. The emphasis will be on individualized service, a receptive staff attitude, and a willingness to innovate. Treatment methods will include: evaluation, detoxification (methadone withdrawal for heroin addicts), methadone maintenance, casework, brief therapy and crisis intervention, individual, group, and family counseling, psychodrama, role playing, sensitivity and encounter groups, hypnosis, behavior therapy, social and vocational rehabilitation.

Other Services: Training, education, information, publications, consultation, and research.

Staff: Professional and non-professional.

Cost: Ability to pay.

HAIGHT-ASHBURY MEDICAL CLINIC
558 Clayton Street and 409 Clayton Street
San Francisco, California
431-1714 and 621-9758

Contact: Dr. David E. Smith, Director

Intake Hours: 10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Eligibility: Open to all.

Programs: 1) 24-hour crisis phone service

2) Medical Section
558 Clayton Street
Contact: Dr. George Gay

Treatment or referral for all general medical problems, many of which are drug-related. This service is often the initial therapeutic contact for people with drug problems. From 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on weekdays, the medical clinic devotes itself solely to non-methadone detoxification.

3) Psychiatric Section
409 Clayton Street
Contact: Stuart Loomis

One-to-one counseling is utilized to deal with any intermediate or long-term consequences of adverse drug reaction. Drug-dependent patients (on amphetamines, barbituarates, or heroin) are referred to the drug treatment section.

4) Drug Treatment Section
409-1/2 Clayton Street
Branch: 121 Leavenworth Street
Contact: Reverend John Frykman

For patients who express a strong desire to remain in the area and not be institutionalized. The program, run on an outpatient basis, emphasizes personal contact with the staff and treats drug addiction as one element in the individual's broad web of personal, social, and family problems. Staff relies on developing respect and understanding for the individual and less on resolving pre-existing psychological conflicts. Such tools as group therapy, sensitivity groups, and encounter groups help the individual build a new self-image and reach his creative potential.

Staff: 30 doctors; 20 psychiatrists and psychologists; 25 non-professionals. (Most staff are volunteers and part-time.)

Referrals: Many patients are referred to a variety of city and state agencies for long-term treatment.

Cost: No charge to patients. Clinic is supported by private donations and foundation grants.

REALITY HOUSE WEST
1360 Fillmore Street
San Francisco, California
922-1707

Contact: Leroy Looper, Director

Intake Hours: 24 hours per day.

Eligibility: Open to all, Western Addition residents preferred.

Programs: 1) Detoxification -- non-methadone withdrawal on an inpatient basis.

2) Group therapy for inpatient and outpatient patients -- encounter groups, psychodrama, and task groups (relating emotions to specific tasks) weekdays, 9:30-11:30 a.m. and 8:00-10:00 p.m. Therapists and professional psychiatrists meet with participants daily to work with problems of drug addiction; emphasis on reconstructing an individual's life-style into one that is meaningful and productive both for the individual and for society.

Staff: Eight (8), mostly lay therapists; doctor on call to assist those who come in for residential care.

Rehabilitation: Vocational training in skills, remedial education, and individual tutoring. Limited family counseling is available.

Other Services: Reality House West has begun a program to acquaint rehabilitation workers, policemen, parole officers, school teachers and social workers with the skills and knowledge needed to combat drug abuse. An eight-week program is available for $200; inquire at 102 Baker Street, San Francisco.

Cost: No charge for outpatient or inpatient (room and board) services. If special costs arise, staff will assist in obtaining money.

SYNANON
1215 Clay Street
Oakland, California
444-3624

Contact: Front Line

Intake Hours: 24 hours (if staff determines there is an emergency); otherwise, by appointment.

Eligibility: Open to all 16 years and older after intense screening by staff. The addict must convince Synanon to take him by demonstrating sufficient seriousness and motivation. Applicant must have no criminal charges pending. Those under 16 years must have a court order granting permission.

Program: Heroin addict withdraws "cold turkey." Amphetamine or barbiturate user chemically withdrawn by doctor.

The Syanon program is really a distinctive life-style, and must be understood as such. Members live in the Synanon house or other Synanon facilities indefinitely. It is a community that includes a large number of ex-users who have decided to abstain and to join together in a cooperative living situation. They live together, work together, and develop rules for interacting and treating the newcomer. The main rules are no drugs, no violence, and no secrets or lack of honest communication. The essence of the Synanon approach is a complex series of encounter games which deal with interpersonal hostility and aggression. The addict becomes involved in the therapeutic process through these group encounters and he becomes part of the solution rather than simply part of the problem.

Other Services: Synanon includes many people who were not drug users. There is also a large group of people who play the "games" on a non-residential basis at regular weekly periods.

Staff: Synanon includes professionals as residents.

Cost: Ability to pay.

TEEN CHALLENGE
959 South Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, California
285-1353

Contact: Mr. Devore Walterman or Reverend Stan Way

Intake Hours: 24 hours.

Eligibility: Open to all males 16 years and older; no religious preference.

Program: Inpatient withdrawal and counseling for all forms of drug abuse available for up to 30 people. No narcotics are used or allowed. Treatment involves spiritual uplifting, faith healing, and Bible instruction.

Rehabilitation: Vocational rehabilitation, testing and training, job placement assistance.

Other Services: Drug abuse educational program -- realistic demonstrations of the effects of drug abuse to discourage drug use in the schools and on military installations.

Staff: Non-professional counselors, many of whom are former addicts.

Cost: None.

WALDEN HOUSE
101 Buena Vista
San Francisco, California
621-9177

Contact: Walter Littrell, Director

Intake Hours: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Eligibility: Ages 16-40, approximately. Initial screening emphasizes growth potential; motivation, and skills needed by community. No restriction on type of drug abuse.

Program: A therapeutic residential community for about 27 people based on the concept of mutual self-help. Non-residential status available for persons interested in group seminars, meetings, and weekend projects. New self-help tools are developed and tested within the community. Hierarchial job structure within Walden House designed to instill a sense of responsibility and purpose. No drugs, sex, or violence permitted.

Staff: Five staff members; psychiatrists and other professionals available as needed.

Rehabilitation: Strong emphasis on re-involving the individual in society in a "meaningful" way without excessive continuing dependence on Walden House.

Referrals: People interested in residential program will be referred for withdrawal treatment after initial interview.

Cost: Ability to pay.

FACILITIES, NOT SPECIFICALLY DRUG-TREATMENT AGENCIES, THAT PERFORM DRUG-RELATED SERVICES

TELEPHONE SERVICES

KABL CALL FOR ACTION
478-3300

Hours: 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., weekdays

Extensive listings of drug treatment facilities throughout the Bay Area. Will suggest a number of possibilities relating to the person's expressed needs. More for referral than conversation.

SWITCHBOARDS

San Francisco (Haight-Ashbury)
1830 Fell Street
387-3575

Chinatown
421-0943

Mission
849 -14th Street
863-3040 or 863-2554

Hours: Usually 24 hours.

Services vary, but typically include referrals for a variety of social and medical services, including those related to drugs. Most operators will rap with the individual about his problems if that is what he wants.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL SERVICE
2255 Hayes Street and 2940 -16th Street
San Francisco, California
387-8200

Intake Hours: 8:45 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., weekdays. Tuesday evening by appointment.

Eligibility: Open to all San Francisco residents.

Program: This is a multi-function service agency which provides counseling for families, adults and children with problems. The parents and relatives of drug users are helped to cope with the problem and their family. Most drug users who themselves come to the Agency ask for help with other problems which they consider more important than drug abuse at a particular time. People with acute drug or alcoholic problems are referred to physicians or appropriate clincs.

Costs: None.

CLAYTON HOUSE
797 Clayton Street
San Francisco, California
665-0310

1) *24-hour crisis phone service (specializing in suicide prevention).*

2) *Spiritual comfort for all kinds of personal problems, including drug abuse. No medication, no inpatient services. Volunteers available to talk and give aid and comfort to whoever needs it.*

Cost: None.

HORIZONS UNLIMITED
3001 -22nd Street
San Francisco, California
285-2171

Contact: Danny Miranda

This program is directed towards the potential school drop-out. The staff attempts to keep the student in school by helping to arrange employment on a part-time basis. There is no specific drug program, although many of the potential or actual drop-outs are drug users.

This is one of the agencies of the Mission Coalition, which, through its health committee, is trying to establish a drug treatment center in the Mission District. The center would stress counseling and education through a variety of services, both inpatient and outpatient. At the time of publication of this directory, a final decision concerning this facility had not been made.

HOSPITALITY HOUSE
146 - 148 Leavenworth Street
San Francisco, California
776-2103

This is a drop-in center for young adults (18-28) with recreational facilities, an employment office, arts and crafts workshops, group sessions and individual counseling by trained counselors. There is also a mental health component staffed by psychiatrists, psychologists, and nurses. There is no specific drug treatment program as such; drug abusers can receive help and counseling; drug addicts will be referred to nearby agencies.

HUNTERS POINT-BAYVIEW COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICE
5815 Third Street
San Francisco, California
822-3130

Contact: Miss Lillian Fortier

This facility has no specific drug treatment program, but residents of the area with drug problems will be referred to the appropriate doctor or medical facility. Staff can help arrange financing of medical treatment on an individual basis.

MISSION REBELS IN ACTION, INC.
674 South Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, California
431-2224

No specific drug program, but persons seeking treatment or assistance will be referred. The Mission Rebels sponsors a training program for under-employed and unemployed individuals, many of whom have a history of drug abuse. This agency provides a variety of drug information and educational services, as well as vocational training, job placement and family counseling. Particularly effective with minority youth.

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS
841-0678
525-2199, after 6:00 p.m.

Eligibility: Open to all who want to stop using drugs.

Program: Counterpart of Alcoholics Anonymous. It is a self-help program involving periodic meetings with other ex-addicts who help and support each other. No drugs may be taken by a participant. The meetings are held in the evenings at a number of locations throughout the Bay Area. Spritual aid is emphasized. Homes may be provided for special cases.

Other Services: Assistance for families of addicts who want to help. Call 647-3874 for this program.

Staff: Non-professional, mostly ex-addicts.

MOBILE HELP UNIT
Mobile Operator: 954-7304
or 421-9850 (Central City EOC)

Monday, 1:30-4:30 p.m.	*7th and Market Streets*
Tuesday, 1:00-4:00 p.m.	*3rd and Bryant Streets*
Wednesday, 1:00-4:00 p.m.	*Mission between 5th and 6th Sts.*
4:30-11:00 p.m.	*6th and Natoma Streets*
	Eddy and Jones Streets

The Help Unit is a converted Dodge camper which contains a mobile telephone, room for a few people to sit and talk, a sink, and files on all kinds of services. The Unit makes regular stops at the times and locations listed above. This is a friendly, relaxed, non-bureaucratic place where anyone can talk and get information concerning a variety of services, including drug treatment facilities. Staff can help arrange appointments and cut red tape. The services of an employment counselor and lawyer are often available on the spot. Volunteers assist with follow-up. The Help Unit is supervised by Dr. Joel Fort and funded by the Office of Economic Opportunity.

Cost: None.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA SERVICE LEAGUE
693 Mission Street
San Francisco, California
421-8828

Contact: Joseph Silver, Director

This organization does counseling and case work with inmates in the San Francisco County Jail (San Bruno). A professional social worker regularly visits the jail and talks with groups of inmates, many of whom have drug problems. Inmate counseling continues after their release from jail; individuals whose drug problems persist will be referred.

It also works with community agencies and organizations in an effort to improve jail programs and improve community services for released inmates.

THE OFF RAMP
1525 Waller Street
San Francisco, California
673-6799

Contact: Howard A. Rochford, Jr., Director

A counseling and crises services program providing early-stage interception and assistance for troubled or drug-using young adults.

Program: 1) The Family Room (1525 Waller Street): Open every night 7:00 p.m. - 12:00 midnight (Wednesdays 10:00 p.m. - 12:00 midnight). A therapeutically oriented, casual drop-in facility desiged to provide an atmosphere which will make "guests" comfortable enough to think about and discuss their personal problems with staff and/or other guests. The staff is comprised of trained young adult volunteers whose primary objective is to develop effective relationships which will promote and support motivation to seek and accept counseling or referral for personal or drug problems.

2) 673-6799: 24-hour emergency phone service.

3) Inpatient Service: The staff of The Off Ramp regularly visits young adults in the psychiatric wards of San Francisco General Hospital (with follow-up contacts for patients in the San Francisco Admitting Ward at Napa State Hospital). The objectives of these visits are to "intercept" the isolated young patient; to develop a supportive relationship that will ease his re-socialization; to encourage his motivation to participate in therapy; and to support continued treatment in an outpatient program after discharge.

4) Crisis Line (566-1050): Every night 7:00 p.m. - 12:00 midnight. A telephone service designed to intercept "the closet problem." Trained young adult staff listens to, counsels, or refers young people, parents, or youth-service professionals who may need anonymous, confidential contact to be able to discuss their problems. Essentially the Family Room concept by telephone.

Staff: 15 professionals and non-professionals.

Cost: None.

RAP, INC.
Real Alternatives Program
1000 Guerrero Street
San Francisco, California
826-6474

Contact: Jim Queen

RAP is a community controlled program representing an effort by members of the Mission community to concern themselves with the problems of Mission youth by developing viable alternatives to detention for youths who are now or are likely to be on probation and by assisting the juvenile court in the guidance of juveniles that come in contact with it. At the time this catalogue goes to print, RAP is working together with members of other community organizations to create a drug abuse center for the Mission community.

THE SALVATION ARMY
60 Haight Street
San Francisco, California
863-6520

Contact: Lt. Col. Robert J. Angel

A program is in process of being developed. Information can be obtained from Lt. Col. Angel.

SAN FRANCISCO MEDICAL SOCIETY
250 Masonic Avenue
San Francisco, California
567-6230

Persons desiring treatment from a private physician may phone this agency to get the names of doctors.

YOUTH ADVOCATES, INC. - HUCKLEBERRY HOUSE
3830 Judah Street
San Francisco, California
(415) 731-3921

Contact: Brian Slattery, Steve Lieberman, Richard Livingston

Intake Hours: 24 hours.

Eligibility: Open to both sexes under 18 years of age.

Program: Huckleberry House is a center in West San Francisco offering specialized services to runaway and non-runaway youth and their families in a manner which maximizes the decision-making process on the part of the person coming or calling to request a service. These services include family therapy; individual counseling; psychiatric evaluations; drug information; counseling, treatment, and referrals, legal advice; medical care; short-term housing (with permission from legal guardian); information about jobs and alternative schooling; referral information for pregnancy and V.D. tests. Parents, probation officers, other social service agencies, as well as youth, use Huckleberry House as an alternative to, or in conjunction with Juvenile Hall.

Staff: Six (6) paid staff; volunteers (both balanced between professionals and non-professionals).

Cost: None.

YOUTH FOR SERVICE
1160 McAllister Street
San Francisco, California
989-3780

There is no specific drug treatment program here, but persons seeking treatment will be referred. There is also a drug education program which consists of dispensing drug information informally on the streets or in the community, wherever it would be useful. Youth for Service also provides various rehabilitation services, including vocational training and job placement. Particularly effective with minority youth.